

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
Attorney Docket No. 19564US01/2003DE417

In the Application of:)
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Matthias Loeffler, et al.)
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Application No.: 10/817,371)
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Filed: April 2, 2004)
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Title: Process For The Preparation Of)
Stable Polymer Concentrates)
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Examiner: Michael Bernshteyn)
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Group Art Unit: 1796)
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Confirmation No.: 2598)

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AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

Introductory Comments

This paper responds to the final Office action mailed November 28, 2007, in the above-entitled application. This paper is being filed as part of a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) in compliance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.114. Applicant respectfully requests entry (as a matter of right) of the amendments submitted herein. A Petition for Extension of Time (One Month) is being filed with this paper, so the due date is being extended one month to March 28, 2008.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Listing of Claims which begins on page two of this paper.

Remarks begin on page six of this paper.